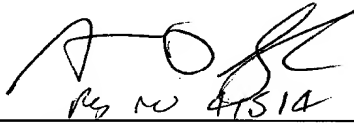


REMARKS

Applicant respectfully requests that the foregoing amendments to the claims be entered in order to avoid this application incurring a surcharge for the presence of one or more multiple dependent claims.

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5. (Amended) The data distribution system according to **[any one of claims 1 to 4]** **claim 1**, wherein the remaining distribution data is divided into a plurality of parts and which further comprises distribution interval regulation means that regulates the interval of the distribution of the remaining distribution data for each divided unit to the user according to the progress of the reproduction of the distribution data by the user.
6. (Amended) The data distribution system according to **[any one of claims 1 to 4]** **claim 1**, wherein the distribution data are distributed through a radio network.
7. (Amended) The data distribution system according to claim 2 **[or 4]**, which further comprises means, for balance processing during sales processing, that, when the result of the judgment by the payment ability judgment means is that the user can pay the equivalent, issues a sales code indicating, that sales processing is under execution, and subtracts the amount of money to be paid from the user's balance to determine a new balance value.